**~Capulet Vs. Montague!~**

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Today, in the town of Verona, two deaths occurred. The men found dead were Tybalt Capulet and Mercutio Escalus. Their bodies were found late afternoon. We found a few witnesses and took some statements. One of the witnesses, Benvolio Montague saw the whole feud and explained the situation. “Tybalt had requested Romeo duel him. Romeo had declined and my fallen friend Mercutio offered to fight Tybalt and defend Romeo. Romeo tried to stop the battle, to no avail. Tybalt has slain my dear friend and then ran off.  
I took my wounded and dyeing friend to lay him down. I came out to tell Romeo he hath died and Tybalt appeared. Still wanting to kill Romeo. It would have been dishonorable for Romeo to not fight Tybalt and avenge Mercutio.  
Romeo had no choice. Tybalt would have slain him as well if he did not defend his honor and his friend. Tybalt was out for blood. Romeo did what had to be done.” The Capulet's were in denial that Tybalt would ever be out for blood. Lady Capulet claimed that, "He is a tame and quiet gentleman. He is not the killing type. Romeo and Benvolio lie." At the moment, Romeo Montague is being banished from the city of Verona for his actions of killing Tybalt Capulet.